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In re application of:

Robert J. Mason, *et al.*

Serial No. 09/230,955

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision of November 7, 2001 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting Claims 1-4 and 8.

The Appeal Fee of \$160.00 is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, including extension fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1300 (Our Order No. A-67653/RFT/AMS).

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Respectfully submitted,

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